

# COUNCIL COPY

## RECREATION, LIBRARIES & AUTHORITIES COMMITTEE

13-0334R

RESOLUTION AWARDING A CONTRACT TO PROGRESSIVE TRAIL DESIGN, LLC FOR THE TRAVERSE TRAIL PHASE I - LESTER PARK PROJECT IN THE AMOUNT OF \$121,409.

### CITY PROPOSAL:

RESOLVED, that the proper city officials are hereby authorized to enter into a contract with Progressive Trail Design, LLC for the Traverse Trail Phase I - Lester Park project in the amount of \$121,409, payable from Parks Fund 205, Department/Agency 130 (Community Resources), Division 1220 (Parks Capital), Object 5530 (Improvements Other than Buildings), project no. cm205-travrs, bid no. 13-09DS, requisition no. 13-0399, city project no. 1223.

Approved:

Approved for presentation to council:

Kyle Culhane for Roshonda Sailey D. J. Mat...  
Department Director Chief Administrative Officer

Purchasing Agent D. J. Mat...

Approved as to form:

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Annmar Johnson Lucy W. Zahn  
Attorney Auditor

ENG CLP:jh 6/13/2013

STATEMENT OF PURPOSE: This resolution will authorize the construction of the Traverse Trail Phase I - Lester Park. The project's scope of work includes at least ±3.5 gross miles of new trail construction including constructed and bermed turns, technical trail feature (TTF) boardwalk, rock armoring, bridges, and closure of all obsolete trail segments.

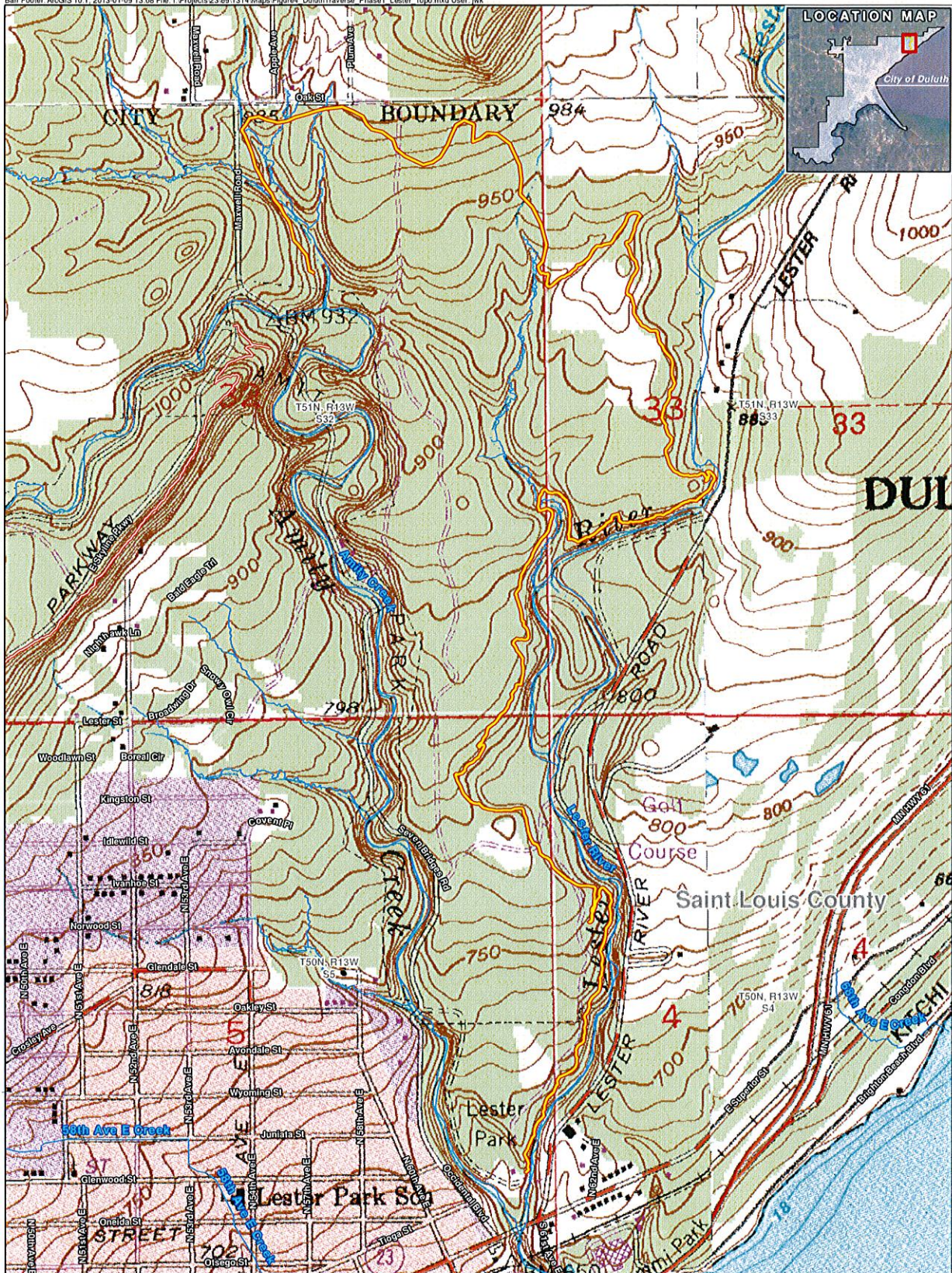
This project is funded by a grant from the Minnesota Department of Natural Resources Legacy Grant Program as well as funding from the local mountain bike club Cyclists of Gitchee Gumee Shores (COGGS) and funding support from the city of Duluth Parks Fund.

Award is being made to the lowest responsible bidder, Progressive Trail Designs, LLC. GL Contracting, Inc. did not provide three qualified projects as required in the specifications. Instead, they only provided two projects, of which only one was qualified as a bike trail. As a result they were found to be non-responsive.

TABULATION OF BIDS RECEIVED ON MAY 28, 2013

GL Contracting, Inc.	Medina, MN	\$107,790.90	Non-responsive
Progressive Trail Design, LLC	Fayetteville, AR	\$121,409.00	Qualified
Single Track Trails, Inc.	Fort Collins, CO	\$166,281.99	Qualified
Veit & Company, Inc.	Duluth, MN	\$555,330.00	Non-qualified



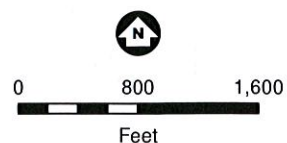


- Lester Proposed Trail
- Duluth Traverse Proposed Trails
- Duluth Streams



Figure 4

**LESTER RIVER PROPOSED TRAIL  
PHASE 1**  
Duluth Traverse  
Duluth, Minnesota



All data overlaid USGS 7.5' Topographic Map